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VETERAN OF THE CIVIL WAR REUNE IN CHARLEROI

Only Seven of Co. D, 79th Penna. Remain, Gather For Occasion

HOLD MOST ENJOYABLE SESSION

Members of Company D, 79th Regiment, Pennsylvania V olunteer Infantry, veterans of the Civil War, their ranks materially thinned by the ravages of Father Time, held their annual re-union in Charleroi, yesterday. There are but eleven living at present of the 101 young men who proudly answered their nation's call d uring the trying days of 1861-65. Of this number, seven attended yesterday's function, the other four, owing to physical inability and geographical location, being unable to be with their comrades. One of the absentees. now residing in California, in wiring his regrets said: "Although unable to be with you in the flesh, I'll be there in spirit, comrades."

'Squire R. L. Culbertson, of Lock Four, himself rapidly nearing the four-score mark on life's journey though still a young man, was the ruling spirit in this yearly event; and to him, primarily, is attributed the credit for the success which marked the day's celebration. He was ably aided by Comrade Jacob Wise of this city, a member of Company G, of the 87th Pennsylvania, who, with his customary interest in matters pertaining to G. A. R. affairs volunteered his assistance. As a result of the generosity of several Charleroi citizens, the successful financing of the project was made possible. This was greatly appreciated by the veterans, and elicited their grateful thanks.

The exercises of the day opened with a business session, at nine o'clock, at which time matters relative to the welfare of the organization were discussed and acted upon. It developed that the first reunion of the society was held at Monongahela City, where all previous gatherings of this nature have been held. in May. 1914, with an enrollment of thirty-four. In the short space of six years, the membership has been decreased by death to its present standing.

A prominent feature of the day's deliberations was the display of true comradeship which characterized the actions of these young men of over half a century ago, who, despite the fact that they today ranged in. age from seventy-eight to ninety years, were as solicitous of each other's welfare as it was possible for any one to be. They comported together as boys and affectionatelly greeted each other as "Lafe," "Jim," etc. A true. fraternal spirit permeated the whole of the day's proceedings.

At one o'clock. members of Company D, together with several comrades of other regiments, and a few invited guests, sat down to a delightful dinner in the Hotel Wellington. The dining room was profusely and artistically decorated, "Old Glory" predominating, while a beautiful bouquet of dahlias and white roses graced the center of the table. A sumptuous repast had been prepared by Mine Host Artz, which was a credit to him as a caterer, and which was hugely enjoyed by all present. Plates were laid for thirty persons, and those seated at the table were R. L. Culbertson, Lock Four; W. S. Miller, Industry; Wilson Layman, Monongahela City; J. M. Yohe, Crafton; I. B. Eckels and Amzi Eckels, Monongahela City, R. E. Booth, Jacob Wise, Gilbert Updegraft, Charles Culbertson, John B. Schafer, L. Brown, representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars and Prof I. T. Daniel, all of Charleroi; Captain J. H. Shenkle, Company E. 11th Infantry. Pittsburg; John Ryan, Charleroi; George B. Roberts, Donora; William S. Abraham; Harry P. Scott, Lock Four; John E. Davies, Arnold City; D. P. McKenna, Elco; J. W.Elwood, Belle Vernon and the following ladies, Mrs. Jacob Wise, Mrs. J. S. Russell. Miss Minnie Richardson, Mrs. Emma Dawson of Charleroi, and Mrs. Zelma C. Cliney of Monongahela City.

After doing ample justice to the good things prepared .an adjournment was taken to Turner Hall, where the exercises of the day were continued with a "camp fire," the vteran's delight. Captain Shenkle, who was several times decorated for gallantry in the recent war, officiated as master of ceremonies and in an effective and appropriate manner referred to the services performed by the comrades of the G. A. R. in that great crisis in the country's history. and emphasized how much the nation was indebted to them. He expressed his great pleasure and delight at being privileged to be present on this occasion.

J. W. Elwood of Belle Vernon. a member of Company A. 22d Pennsylvania Cavalry was then called upon for a few remarks. He acquiesced by first singing an old time war song "Up With the Flag," in a manner which was certainly remarkable for a man of eighty years of age. after which he spoke briefly and interestingly.

Ornan Morgan. Charleroi's rising tenor, enthused the assemblage with a spirited rendition of 'On the Road to Mandalay," the old soldiers applauding the young singer most heartily.

Squire Culbertson and Comrade Wise also spoke entertainingly of events relating to the history of Company D and other G .A. R. matters. while L. Brown of Charleroi, who represented the Veterans of Foreign Wars. gave a graphic account of the past played in the recent war by America's representatives. He also aroused much enthusiasm by his singing of "Le Marseillaise," in French as he had learned it in the trenches at the front.

The proceedings were interspersed with the singing of war songs, under the guidance of Prof. Daniel, and what was adjudged by all as the most interesting of all the re-unions held by Company D. 79th Infantry, P. V. I., was brought to a termination. and the old soldiers returned to their homes, voting the day a perfect one.

A photograph of the old veterans and their guests, seated at the dining table, was taken by Photographer Clutter.

Quiet Dignity Marks Service For Our First Over-Sea Dead

Funeral services for Arden E. Calvert, late of the Medical Corps of the United States Army, who died in France almost two years ago, and held at the home of his parents on Fallowfield avenue Friday afternoon, brought to mind the stirring days of the war. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. John R. Burson, pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, who took for his text the Gospel of John, 15:13, "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

The preacher spoke of the struggles of the race in forming governments, how all forms of society have cost sacrifice and the suffering of somebody. He paid a glowing tribute to the flag when speaking of the causes of the late war. Before the Lusitania was sunk or Bernstorff had been proved a tyrant, the fires of patriotism were burning on the alters of young America's hearts and, when the call came, the response was enough to make the nation proud of her youth.

A quartette composed of Mrs. John Metz, Mrs. John H. Clutter, Louis Johes and Rev. Burson, accompanied by Miss Bethel Bowman furnished the music. The pall bearers were all former service men, Edwin Patton, Guy Woodward, Frank Myers, Harold Toner, Wilson Piper, Walfred Mathias, Henry Lowstutter and John Carroll. The casket was covered with the American flag and a profusion of flowers. The body was accompanied from New York by Private First Class Berkstrauser, who also acted as an honorary pall barer. The entire service was marked by a quiet dignity. and was a sincere manifestation on the part of the people of the respect in which the deceased was held.

NEW REGULATIONS OF ATTENDANCE

In order to standarize and make uniform the method of recording attendance data in the schools of the State it is required that the following regulations be observed:—

The teacher's roll of pupils belonging to her school shall contain the names of all children assigned to her school from the enumeration list at the opening of the school by the board of education, and such additions as may be made thereto during the term, and no child's name shall be removed from the roll as belonging to the school unless, upon investigation by the local attendance bureau or the proper school official, it shall be found that the child

1. Is deceased.
2. Has removed from the district.
3. Is enrolled in another school.
4. Is legally employed, upon a general employment certificate.
5. Is 16 years of age or over and has withdrawn from school.
6. Has been certified by the medical inspector as permanently incapacitated and not fit for education and training.

The frequent hold-ups by gun-toting bandits in Philadelphia are not likely to be checked if the local newspapers content themselves with assuring their readers that the Quaker City is no worse in this particular than other cities.

I have Cash Buyers for houses in Charleroi and Lock No. 4, if you want that house sold quick. list with me. Clyde B. Cope. Real Estate & Insurance. 315 Mcean. 91-tf*

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ELKS PLANNING FOR MANY RECEPTIONS

The social committee of Charleroi Lodge of Elks, composed of Frank Delvaux, W. F. Vetter, Gilbert Zimmerman and Walfred Mathias has announced two special events for the 14th and 21st of October. Warring's famous saxophone orchestra of Tyrone to furnish music on the evening of the 14th and the Harrison-Hollis orchestra to appear on the evening of the 21st. These Thursday night affairs are proving very popular with the members of the organization. two hundred couples being present last Thursday evening.

The committee also announces that the big knockout Hallowe'en Bingville dance will take place some time soon, date not yet announced, but everybody is advised to get their "rube" clother ready for what promises to be one of the greatest events of the year. The committee also has in mind other features of a more pretentious kind, and advise members to get their "glad rags" in shape for something of a more class character.

These weekly features are the most successful of the kind ever held in Charleroi. and it is the purpose of the committee to continue them all winter, if the patronage will justify.

P. H. C. HOLDS VERY INTERESTING SESSION

A very interesting meeting of Charleroi Circle, P. H. C. No. 303, was held Friday evening, October 6th, at their rooms on Fallowfield. Two were initiated and four applications were acted upon. Bro. Evan Roberts, of Pittsburgh, Past Grand President of Pennsylvania, and Master of Inner Circle Degree work, was present. He addressed the Circle in his usually happy manner. Miss Mary J. Schubert, of Oil City, District Deputy of Charleroi and Donora also made some remarks. This was followed by a social session and dancing. Refreshments were served by the social committee.

BATHING BEACH MAY BE A THING OF THE PAST

The sale of the property at Second street, and extending along the river from the wharf to Maple creek, will probably eventually mean the discontinuance of the bathing beach, which has been so popular in Charleroi for years. As it is the purpose of the new owners of the property to use it for storage and yard purposes it is not likely that arrangements can be made for the bathing beach.

WAGING WARFARE ON TRESPASSERS

In order to minimize railroad accidents, the annual death rate of which is normally sufficiently great to warrant a drastic plan of action. police authorities of the Monongahela railroad leading out of Brownsville will shortly be obliged to "tighten up" in their crusade against the trespasser.

Superintendent Orr states that there is a decided increase in the number of transients and it begins to look as though the company authorities will have to prepare for the annual Fall migration.

Combatting the evils of railroad trespassing entails a might comprehensive plan saying nothing about the additional ex-penditure placed upon companies in the supplying of road patrolmen whose duty it is to round up the trespassers.

The year 1919 demonstrated the advisability of thorough and systematic crusades. tending as it did to minimize accidents on the Monongahela railroad approximately 57 per cent. Decided decreases in the annual death rate on the Pennsylvania system was also insured by the adoption of a comprehensove police round-up.

Some towns are reporting an unusually heavy migratory movement of transients for the month of September, estimated at an increase of approximately 45 per cent. Many of these transients are negroes, imported from the South and termed "floaters," who are moving about from place to place. Police are taking care of these transients and in many places a fine is imposed when they are found trespassing.

SENATOR HARDING WAS AHEAD ON THE HIGH SEAS

While crossing the Atlantic on his way home from Scotland on the steamship Philadelphia. W. C. Clark said that a "straw vote" was taken one evening at dinner. the voting being confined to American citizens. When the returns had been all counted it was found that Senator Harding had a decided lead with 175 votes, while Governor Cox had 41. Some twenty votes were scattered among other candidates.

Dr. Albert J. Hyde announces the opening of his dental parlors 421 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 99tf*

SOLDIER-CHAPLAIN TO PREACH ON SUNDAY IN LOCAL CHURCH

Taken from the Ranks and Commissioned Chaplain in the A. E. F.

RECOMMENDED FOR D. S. C.

Rev. Roberts Williams, who comes to preach in the First Presbyterian church tomorrow is one of the few men in American history who have been commissioned a Chaplain from the ranks, and who was recommended for the Distinguished Service Cross by his commander, Lieut.-Col. Theodore Roosvelt, Jr., for refusing to leave his wounded comrades after he had been gassed in the fighting near Soissons. France.

Chaplain Williams enlisted in 1917 in the Seventeenth Engineers in Chicago. as a private. and soon afterward was commissioned. a chaplain. He had been a divinity student before. Immediately after he was sent to the trenches where, with the First Division, he spent forty-four days in the fighting on the Picardy front, which ended in the capture of Cantigny. the first planned American offensive. Again he went into the fray at the pivot of Marshal Foch's counter-attack toward Soissons to cut the Soissons-Chateau Thierry railroad which supplied the Germans in the Marne salient. It was during this battle that he was gassed and here it was that "sky pilot's" commander cited him for bravery. In this attack the First Division lost 54 per cent of its enlisted men and 62 pr cent of its officers. In the Argonne Forest the First Division relieved the Thirty-fifth Division. Chaplain Williams also spent three months in Germany, his unit having been engaged in outpost duty twenty miles from the Rhine. In all Chaplain Williams conducted funeral services over the bodies of 500 American soldiers.

Captain Williams, who carried the rank of Captain, warmly praises Lieut.-Col. Roosevelt, who he says, after being wounded in the knee at Sossons, was so eager to rejoin his regiment that he appeared, while he was still limping, and led the twenty-sixth Infantry into the Argonne Forest drive, and later into Germany. after which he returned to Paris to undergo an operation.

Tomorrow morning Chaplain Williams will preach on the subject, "The Stranger Within Our Gates," problem in America today from the Christian standpoint: and in the evening the spiritual lessons of the career of Columbus in a sermon, "America's First Pioneer."

HELD UNDER BAIL FOR OWNING "STILL."

In the United States District Court at Pittsburg on Friday, Louis Maranuch of Cokeburg was placed under $1,000 mail for trial during the November term of the court on a charge of having an illicit still in his possession

Majestic Theatre Today

Will Rogers in "Cupid the Cowpuncher"

Also News and Comedy

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HARDING AND COX.

A comparison of Harding and Cox is made by the Republican Publicity Association, through its President, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., as follows:

"Senator Harding and Governor Cox are not only radically different in their personalities but they represent radically different ideals in American government. The divergent characteristics in the men and the principles and policies they represent constitute the sum total of the issues of the present campaign.

"Senator Harding is by nature a careful, deliberate, dignified, serious minded, sincere, constructive business man and statesman. Governor Cox is seemingly a crafty politician, willing to seize upon any artifice that can distract the attention of the public from the vitally important problems before the country. He is bombastic, impulsive, and willing to leave a false impression in the minds of the people by submitting a few statements that do not correctly represent the true facts.

"Senator Harding has been able, by a lifetime of diligent personal effort, to accumulate a very moderate fortune. Governor Cox has in the past few years sprung into the millionaire class. Senator Harding lives the quiet life of an average citizen in a modest residence in the town where his business is located. Governor Cox lives in luxury on his estate at Trail's End."

"But the difference in personalities is less important than the difference in governmental ideals.

"Senator Harding represents that political party which has always stood for promotion of human liberty and human rights. Governor Cox is allied with that party which is still dominated by the Southern Bourbons which introduces sectionalism into public administration. Governor Cox is the would-be heir to an administration that strives to solve every political problem by the establishment of some bureau with power to tell the American people from day to day in what manner they shall conduct their affairs.

"Senator Harding is the spokesman of the party that has always stood for America first, in tariff legislation, in development of a merchant marine, and in the negotiation and enforcement of international treaties. Governor Cox represents the party that repealed the protective tariff, that repealed the provision for free tolls for American coastwise shipping through the Panama Canal and that advised Americans to get out of Mexico and forfeit their rights under international treaties. He is the spokesman of that party which would make America subject to a super-state dominated by Europe in general and by Great Britain in particular. Governor Cox is leader of the party that proposes scuttle and surrender.

"Senator Harding is leader of that party which forced the curtailment of Federal appropriations to the extent of two and a half billions. Governor Cox is the defender of the party and administration that squandered money during the war and sought to continue squandering after the war was over. Senator Harding is the exponent of the obviously true doctrine that national taxes can be reduced only by reduction of expenditures. Governor Cox tries to delude the people by advocating reduction of taxes at the same time that he defends the administration that tried to keep up expenditures.

"Senator Harding's party is for American Nationalism and peace: Governor Cox's party is for an internationalism that would involve America in every European or Asiatic broil.

"The choice between the men and the policies should not be difficult."

SOCIALISTS AGAIN UNSEATED

The five Socialists expelled from the New York legislature last spring were recently re-elected by large majarities and sent back. Three of these have now been deprived of their seats a second time and the other two have resigned.

Remember your dead. W. S. [illegible] and Co. Monuments with Lay-[illegible] Pays Funeral Director. 2066

This unbending attitude of the Republican majority at Albany is denounced by some Republicans and defended by some Democrats. Mr. Hughes, the Republican candidate for President in 1916, characterizes the second expulsion as "an act of incredible folly in flagrant disregard of the fundamental principles of American institutions." The New York Times (Ind. Dem.) on the other hand, supports it on the ground that the utterances of the twice expelled men show that they were "committed to doctrines altogether incompatible with loyalty to the State and to the United States." The Times says their expulsion does not deprive their constituents of the right of representation because no constituency has the right to be represented by men disqualified to make the laws.

Nevertheless the devotion of their constituents and the wide protest outside of the Socialist ranks are important facts to consider. Another important fact to consider is that the sternly protective measure of war time are not called for in peace. Even if they have not modified any of their views, the votes of only five men will be less harmful than the denial of their constituents right freely to choose their own representatives.

A LAW, NOT A BOARD

Dr. Charles H. Herty, the noted chemist, continues his strong advocacy of a protection on dyestuffs. The Republican party is with Dr. Herty on that proposition, but not by way of a dyestuffs commission authorized to permit or prohibit dye importations, according to its own authoratic fancy. Dyestuffs should be protected, just as all other American products needing it are protected, and that is by customs duties measured by the difference in cost of production at home and abroad. This is achieved by law, while the commission permit system which was brought forward some time ago is a resort to government by men and we have had much too much of that under Mr. Wilson. It is not American; therefore it is not Republican.

"There will be a 'woman vote' in this country," Mrs Carrie Chapman Catt is quoted as saying, "just as we have an Irish vote, a German vote, an Italian vote and other votes, whenever anything affecting a particular class has come up for settlement." German-American, Irish-American and what not, and now we are promised the group action of the woman-American vote. But at least we are not likely to have the man-American vote as a distinctive and self-seeking political body, for in America mere man is quite sure to think twice before he organizes with a view to try conclusions with the domestic powers that be.

GAS WELL PROMOTERS HELD FOR GRAND JURY

An echo of the McKeesport gas boom, which was at its height about a year ago, was found on Thursday in a suit for false pretense, brought before Justice of the Peace George H. House at Braddock. The informations were made by Ralph E. Mueller of North Braddock, a stockholder of the company and the defendants are S. G. Thompson, president, and Miss Elsie Marshall, vice president, both of McKeesport, who are officers in the Commonwealth Oil and Gas company. The complainant alleges that he purchased stock in the company which stated that three wells would be drilled. The information states that one well was drilled to the Murraysville sand and that a flow of 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas was struck. The second well was drilled to the Speechley sand and it is alleged no report was made of the result. The third well was never drilled, Mueller states. No statements were ever issued by the company, according to Mueller, and no dividends were ever declared. The company was capitalized at $ 100,000 and the prosecutor says he believes that all the money was paid in. About six weeks ago the company filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. The accused furnished bond in the sum of $1,000. It said that the treasurer of the company disappeared some time ago.

The Village Hero.

"Say," said the visitor in town, "what made this fellow Smatterby your favorite son, that he should have a monument? What did he do for the town?" "He went away from here as a child," said the Oldest Citizen, "and didn't come back for forty years!"—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

PENNSYLVANIA'S FORESTS

Short Talks on the Forests and The Lumber Situation

By Gifford Pinchot, Chief Forester Of Pennsylvania

I have before me as I write an interesting card of lumber prices issued by W. H. Hyde and Company, manufacturers of pine and hemlock timber, of Ridgway, Elk County, Pa. This card is dated May 6, 1885, and was sent me from the files of one of the oldest wholesale lumber firms of Philadelphia. The difference between lumber costs thirty-five years ago, when Pennsylvania was the very centre of pine and hemlock production, and now, when we must go to the far western states or the southern states for our lumber of this sort, and pay transportation charges running into big money, are decidedly interesting.

Messrs. Hyde and Company quote their Philadelphia customer a price of $7.00 a thousand feet for sizes from two by four to two by twelve, and from twelve to sixteen feet long. Today the price paid at the mill for the same sizes and kinds of lumber is $53.00 a thousand feet. Special sizes, running as high as fifty feet in length could have been bought from Hyde and Company in 1885 for $10.00 a thousand feet. In 1920 the price is $65.00 a thousand feet, but it is not Pennsylvania timber.

Upon the passage of a resolution introduced by Senator Capper of Kansas, Congress recently ordered a report which dealt with comparative lumber prices and this report has been made public by the United States Forest Service In a table of average wholesale values for the eastern markets this report shows that in 1840 first quality soft woods sold for $20.91 a thousand feet. In 1900 the price had risen to $34 06 per thousand, and in 1920—figures based on the first three months of the year—the price had reached the amazing height of $131.53.

The wholesale price for one-inch plain oak boards in Philadelphia in February 1915, was $60 00 a thousand feet. In February, 1920, this same kind of lumber sold at wholesale in Philadelphia for $200 a thousand feet.

It is but fair to consider that the very high prices for lumber now prevailing are due in part to the abnormal conditions in business generally Much lumber is sold at "spot" or at auction, where bidding prevails, and where prices are determined by the desire of the purchaser to get the lumber, rather than by a consideration of its real value

But this does not explain it all. The rise in lumber prices has been gradual and is due to the law of supply and demand. Forests have not been maintained as lumber producers and operations have been moved to where lumber is most plentiful The less timber we have, the higher price we must pay. Even before the war prices had risen tremedously. In 1917 the average price of retail lumber had increased forty-eight per cent over the prices of 1905.

As lumbering shifts to distant points one of the biggest items in the cost to the consumer is transportation. Here in Pennsylvania we pay an annual freight bill on lumber of more than $25,000,000. Already transportation absorbs as much as 22.9 per cent of the retail price. In 1919 the percentage was 21 6, while the percentage of freight increases over 1905 was 72.8 per cent.

In its summary of principal conclusions in response to the Capper resolution, the National Forest Service commenting upon national situation as to prices, says: "If large-scale production had still been possible in New England, New York, Pennsylvania, and the lake states, there can be little doubt concerning the beneficial effects upon market stability and lumber prices."

Here in Pennsylvania we must remember that how high prices go and how steady prices are largely depends on how soon we can bring about the restoration of Pennsylvania's timber production, and put our State once more among the great forestgrowing commonwealth.

ARE USING TARVIA FOR STREET REPAIRS

Monongahela is experimenting with Tarvia as a means of repairing a portion of Main street in that city, and the experiment will be watched with interest. A section of the street between Second and Third, over which the heaviest traffic of the city flows, has been selected as the place to try out the new method, and if it proves a success it is likely that other portions of the street will receive similar treatment.

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John H. Moffitt.
Charleroi, Pa.
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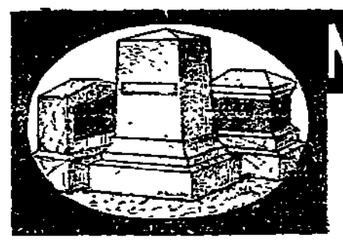

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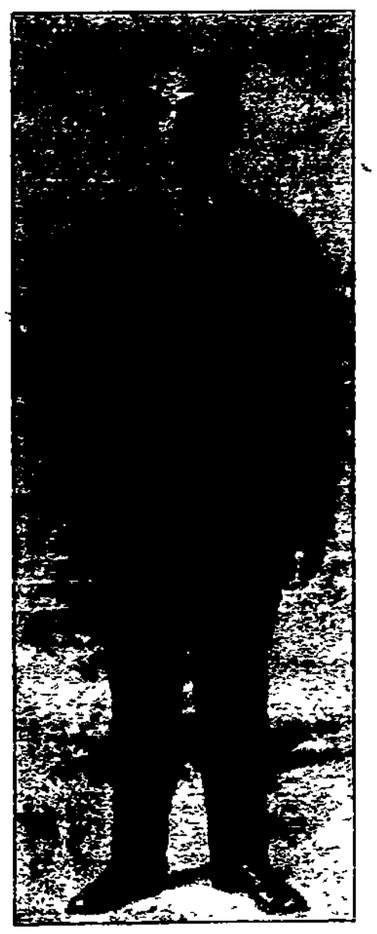

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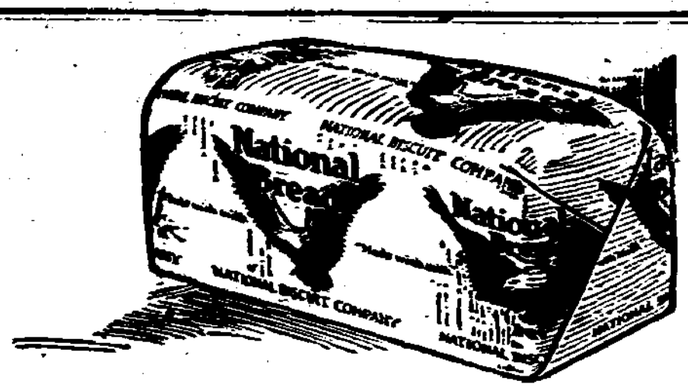

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Saturdays—Cars every half hour from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m. First morning car at 5 a. m. and last night car at 12 midnight.

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Cars return from Washington, Canonsburg and intermediate points for Pittsburgh on similar schedule leaving Washington 10 minutes after the hour and half hour.

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Check for 10 per cent must accompany each bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

T. J. Underwood,
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Sept. 18, 25 and Oct. 2 and 9

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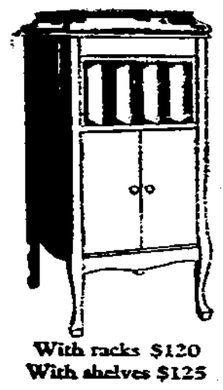

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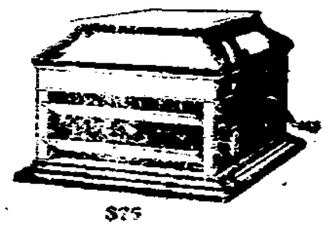

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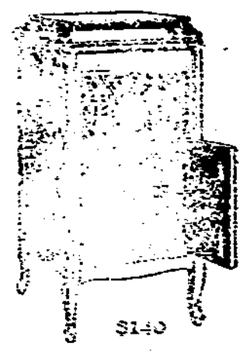

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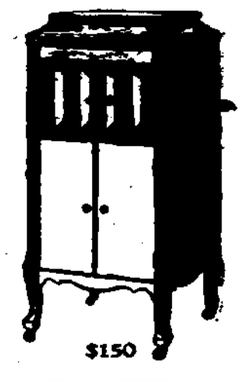

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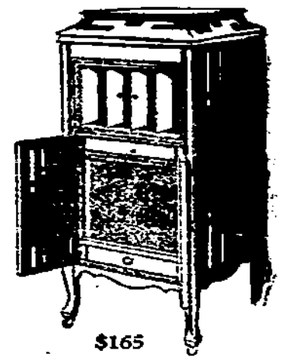

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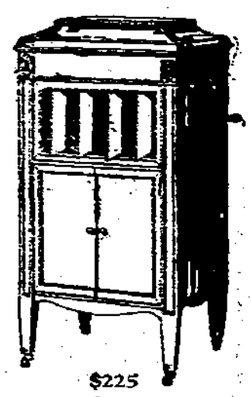

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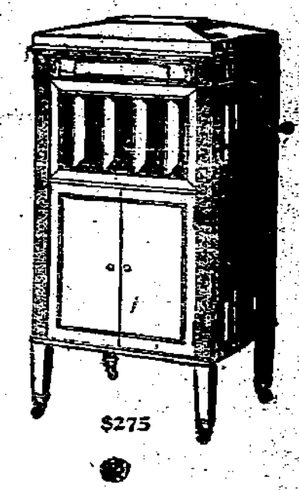

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Housekeeping essentials priced agreeably and offering substantial savings.

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CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE.

STEAMER JENKINS CHANGES OWNERS

The National Transportation company has purchased the steamer Robert Jenkins from the Pittsburg Coal company, making the third poolboat to be obtained by the transportation company this year. The other boats owned are the Tide and the Winnifrede. The steamer Jenkins was originally built in the year year with the steamer Frank Gilmore. She was built by T. M. Jenkins & Co., and was used in the towing trade on the Monongahela. She measures 132 feet on deck, is 22 feet beam and 4.4 feet depth of hold. The boat is in good condition, only having recently come off the ways at Elizabeth. The boat has had a varied career, being destroyed by fire once, and sunk at another time. The boat will prove a valuable acquisition to the fleet of the transportation company.

Ants That Plant.

A species of ants living on the semi-arid plains of Texas cultivates areas of grass about their dwellings. On the cultivated space, which may have an area of ten to fifteen feet, only one kind of grass is allowed to grow, and it is said that the seeds of this grass are planted by the ants. Roads are laid out regularly, radiating from the hill across the plain, and the shoots of undesirable plants are promptly nibbled off as fast as they appear among the crops. When the harvest of the protected grass is ripe the ants collect the seeds and convey them along a carefully kept way to the little [illegible] in their hills. Interesting and wonderful is the economy of these tiny insects. They may, when the colonies are large and numerous enough, do considerable damage to grain in fields where their mounds are reared and the clearings made.—Brooklyn Eagle.

NATIVE SON IS NOW IN CHARGE

The Pittsburgh Federal district has a local engineer. Major James Franklin Bell, recently of New Orleans, came to Pittsburgh at his own request to be near his old home and to renew friendships of his boyhood days. He was born near Washington, Pa., where he attended school, and later graduated from Washington and Jefferson college. He will take official charge of the Pittsburgh district on October 12th. Being a native of this district Major Bell will naturally take a special interest in Government construction, according to his statement made on Wednesday, and he expects to stay as long as possible. He is the youngest engineer in the corps to have charge of the largest construction district on inland rivers, in which work totaling more than $16,000,000 is either under way or contemplated. In point of rank he also is the first Major to come to Pittsburgh since Major, now Colonel, H. C. Newcomer, was in charge.

A large amount of improvement on the Monongahela will some under the personal supervision of Major Bell, particularly in the upper pools, where it is contemplated that one or more of the locks south of Rices Landing will have to be rebuilt within the next few years. Coal development in the upper reaches of the river is so rapid at the present time that operators and shippers are demanding better facilities at the locks and this can only be given by rebuilding the structures which have been in commission for many years.

Advertise your wants in the Classified Column of the Mail.

ASSIGNING PASTORS IS PROVING A PUZZLE

The Pittsburgh Methodist Episcopal conference is squarely "up against it" in the matter of assigning pastors and will probably be in session until some time next week, it was learned on Thursday, the second day of the conference. Anticipating many changes in pastorates, officers of the conference are in a quandary, it is said, with regard to assignments, and a conference of superintendents and Bishop Francis J. McConnell, held Wednesday night is said to have been due to these conditions.

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MANY CHILDREN WITHOUT SCHOOL FACILITIES

Nine hundred children of rural communities in Allegheny county are not in school because thirty of the "little red school houses on the hill" have been unable to open because of a lack of teachers, according to a statement of the County Superintendent. Efforts are being made to secure those qualified to teach, but little response has been received from applicants.

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In the dental offices of Dr. McNaughton and Dr. Hetrick is a very interesting souvenir of the world war, picked up along the abandoned German lines in France after the Germans had been compelled to evacuate. The souvenir was secured by Dr. H. J. Repman, serving with the American Expeditionary Forces and is a small piece of pine board about six by ten inches in size, which was a sign used by a German dentist who had his "office" in one of the dugouts near the front line. On the board is inscribed "Waterraum der Zahnstation," meaning "Waiting Room for Dentist." Dr. Repman gave it to his dental brethern as a reminder of the "big fuss" across the water, and they are keeping it as a most interesting exhibit as one of the features of the world war.

Dickens is the Yale senior's favorite author and Tennyson their favorite poet. Maybe, after all, the sneer at the expense of the mid-Victorians originated merely with envious modern rivals who recognized and wished to screen their own limitations.

OUR JOB DEPARTMENT IS ALWAYS BUSY— THERE'S A REASON

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—1920 Studebaker six special. Fine condition. Central Garage Belle Vernon, Bell Phone 172. 80-tf

FOR SALE—$6750.00 Crest Ave. between Third and Fourth Streets, two houses, one 8 rooms, the other 3, good condition, lot 40x165. Inquire E. J. Charles, Trust Co. 83-tf

FOR SALE—Seven room bungalow with garage. Modern and up-to-date. $7,200. See Scott, Lock No. 4. 96tf

FOR SALE—Ten room dwelling, two baths and garage. Modern. Lot 75x157. $2,000 down, balance $70 per month with interest. See Scott, Lock No. 4. 96-tf

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture, dining room table, gas stoves and chairs. Also several dressers. Apply Arthur Hotel, 525 McKean avenue. 101-tf

FOR SALE—Iron bed with folding spring, $5.00. Writing desk, $3. Small ice box $2.00. All in good condition. Inquire 733 Washington avenue. 106-t2p

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. Also large front room. Apply Hotel Arthur, 525 McKean avenue 101tf

FOR RENT—Garage. Room for 3 cars. Inquire E. J. Charles, Trust Co 81tf

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished room with porch. All conveniences. Inquire at 410 Tenth street. 10613p

FOR RENT—Furnished room for two gentlemen. Call Bell Phone 580 R. 105tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room suitable for two gentlemen. Inquire 405 Sixth street. 107tf

FOR RENT—A nice large room for two gentlemen. Inquire 424 Mail office. 106-t3

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good wages. Inquire 421 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 80-tf

WANTED—Family washing. Millikin & Colmes Laundry, rear of R. G. Vetter's. 80-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire Victoria Hotel, Monessen. 94-tf

WANTED—Girl for hotel work. Apply Hotel Arthur, 525 McKean avenue. 103-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Good wages to right party. Mrs. A. D. Spencer 506 Fifth street. 105-t4

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Presbyterian

Rally Day will be observed in the Sabbath School at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Subject, The Stranger Within Our Gates. Evening service at 7:30. Subject "America's First Pioneer." Rev. Robert Williams of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., will prach.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Sabbath school 9:45. Preaching 11. Sermon "The Students in Christ's University." Jr. C. E. 2:30 Leader, Lewis Poundstone. Sr. C. E. 6:30. Topic, "Bible Verses That Help." Preaching 7:30. Sermon "Discovering Good in Unexpected Places." Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

First Christian.

Sunday School promptly at 10. Church services 11 and 7:30. Themes Morning, Faith growing into Knowledge; evening, Life's safe pilot. Mid-week meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. The promised quarterly financial statement will be received through the mail the early part of next week. It should be studied carefully and thoughtfully.

Baptist

Bible School 9:45. Morning worship 11. Evening service 7:30. Prayer service and Bible study Wednesday 7:30. H. G. Woodrow, pastor.

Lutheran

Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11. Sermon subject, "Putting off the Old Man and putting on the new." Evening worship 7:30. The pastor is beginning a series of Sunday evening sermons on "Discipleship." The first will be the "Cost of Discipleship."

McGIFFIN-QUINETTE NUPTIALS AT WELLSBURG

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Muriel McGiffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McGiffin and Theodore Quinette son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Quinette of Monongahela. The wedding was performed by Rev. Arden B. Miller in the study of the Baptist church of Wellsburg on August 11 the young couple having kept their marriage a secret. Before her marriage, Mrs. Quintette was a valued employee of the Mail Publishing Company, having been in the employ of the company for the past three years. Mr. Quintette holds a responsible position in the American Steel & Wire Mill at Donora. For the present they will make their home in Donora.

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